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In re patent of :

Yoshihiko HIGUCHI et al. :

Patent No. 6,905,653 : Attorney Docket No. 2006_0466

Issued June 14, 2005 : **MAIL STOP PETITION**

DRY MEASURING TEST DEVICE (AS AMENDED)

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.182

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Patentees hereby respectfully request the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office under 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 to correct the inventorship of the above-identified patent by replacing "Yoshihiko Higuchi, c/o Kyoto Daiichi Kagaku Co., Ltd., 57, Nishiaketa-cho, Higashikujo, Minami-ku, Kyoto-shi, Kyoto-fu (JP)" with --Yoshihiko Higuchi, Kyoto (JP); Michio Naka, Kyoto (JP)--.

Patentees note this change of inventorship conforms with a previous Amendment to Inventorship filed November 25, 2003, a copy of which is attached. The previous Amendment requested deletion of Kenji Yamamoto as an inventor because he was not an inventor of the allowed claims. However, the PTO incorrectly also deleted Michio Naka as an inventor.

Patentees further request in this Petition the deletion of extraneous address information, but not the city and country of residence, for each remaining inventor. Accordingly, Patentees request correction of the inventorship of the above noted patent.

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Respectfully submitted,

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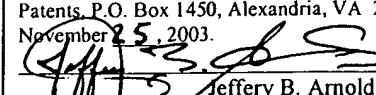
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MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE
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AMENDMENT TO INVENTORSHIP

Sir:

Applicants hereby request the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b) to correct inventorship of the above-identified application by deleting **Kenji Yamamoto** as a named inventor. Mr. Yamamoto is not an inventor of the claimed invention.

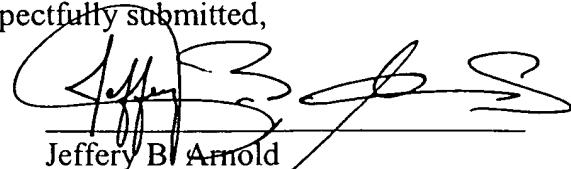
The above-identified application is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application 08/959,125 ("the '125 Application") filed October 28, 1997, and was filed with the original claims of the '125 Application. During prosecution of the above-identified application, Claims 1-5 were cancelled. As a result of the cancellation of Claims 1-5, Mr. Yamamoto is no longer an actual inventor of the claimed invention. Accordingly, Applicants request that Mr. Yamamoto be deleted as a named inventor of the above-identified application.

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